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Serial No. 09/840,818 Group Art Unit: 2614  
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**WIRELESS COMMUNICATION POINT OF DEPLOYMENT MODULE FOR USE IN  
DIGITAL CABLE COMPLIANT DEVICES**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Sir:

SIR: Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 11, 2006 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-27.

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